

# JEAVONS WOOD CHRONICLE



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# WHAT'S NEW AT JEAVONS?

## SPRING EDITION

### **This is the first ever edition of The Jeavons Wood Chronicle!**

This first edition has been produced by The School Council. All members of the School Council have contributed articles to this edition. We hope that it will keep everyone up to date with happenings not only in school, but in the wider community.

Here are your school councillors for 2020. They are always available to help out if you need it. Please keep up to date with what we are doing by looking at our display board in school outside the Main Hall.



We are the Reception representatives.



We are the Key Stage One representatives.



We are the Key Stage Two representatives.



# LOCAL NEWS

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN CAMBOURNE?



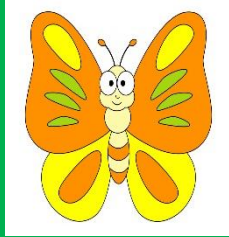
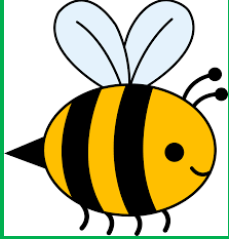
In Cambourne, there is a new retirement home being built opposite the pub. We think you have to be over 55 to live here, but it will be close to shops and the bus stop so older people can get about. At the moment there's lots of mess, but we're sure it will be worth it.

Cambourne offers lots of different clubs to join, no matter what you like. There is ballet, Church Club, Scouts, Brownies, Rainbows and sports of all different types. These are held at The Hub or The Sports Centre or Cricket Club. Cambourne is a place where there is lots to do for children and you need never be bored.

By Scarlett and Josh



Even more building is taking place opposite the hotel. It's another hotel and plans are in place to build a new pub next door to it. We are reliably informed that they will offer limited food but lots of drink at the new pub. The hotel will be a place to bed down for the night. We wonder why they are building another hotel right opposite one that's already there?



# A DAY IN THE LIFE OF...

## A BUMBLEBEE

We have been learning about pirates and islands. We've been reading the story of 'Pirates Love Underpants'. On the art table we have made pirates with tubes, underpants of all designs, pirate ships, clay pirate heads and pirate maps. We've been very busy! We've also been drawing around money and writing addition calculations to match our coins. We have been weighing sea shells and making the scales balance. I liked learning about pirates and the book was funny because the pirates stole underpants. **By Esme**

## A DRAGONFLY

We do loads of learning jobs all day. Sometimes we sit with a teacher to do a job after carpet time. When we go outside there's even more jobs. I like outside jobs, but not if it's raining. Our jobs go in our Learning Journals. We always have a story before home time. **By Daisy**

## A BUTTERFLY

First we do Maths. Then we do English and then we go to lunch. My favourite thing about being a Butterfly is doing Maths. After lunch we sometimes do Science, it's one of my favourite learning jobs.

**By Flossie**

## A LADYBIRD

My day starts happy because I see all my friends. First I do Handwriting, then I do English. My favourite English lessons were when we were doing 'Little Red Riding Hood' because I liked sticking the pictures in the right order. Afterwards we do Maths and before Maths we have Playtime. I like Playtime because I can play hide and seek with my friends. In the afternoon after the register we sometimes do Computing. I love all the things we do in Computing! Then we get ready for Home time. When we get ready the teacher calls our house groups. We can't all get ready at once, we wouldn't fit. We line up behind the door and then we look for our grown ups.

**By Luca**

## A NEWT

I come to school and do English. After English we go to Break Time. We go to our Spelling groups after Break Time and do lots of fun spellings. We then go to our Power Maths groups and work out all our Maths problems. After we've had our lunch we do Relaxation. Then in the afternoon we sometimes do History and learn about people from the past. **By Alisa**

## A HEDGEHOG

In Hedgehogs we do English and Power Maths in the morning. We do our spelling groups as well. We are busy all morning and have to do loads of work, but I like it because it makes me get cleverer. I really like Lunch Time, because then you just play with your friends and everyone has a really good time. In the afternoon we do different things like Art or History or Science. The day goes very quickly then it's Home Time. **By Darcey**



# SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS

IN JEAVONS WOOD, CHILDREN HAVE BEEN WORKING HARD AND BEING KIND TO EACH OTHER. SOME OF THE THINGS THEY HAVE BEEN DOING ARE TIMES TABLES ROCKSTARS, ACCELERATED READER, SPELLING SHED AND EARNING HOUSE POINTS.

To earn a House Point children have to be kind, helpful and help each other, they have to do these things more than once. There are different Houses, There is Fire, Water, Air and Earth. The House Points are different colours; red, blue, yellow and green. At the end of each term the house that collects the most House Points will win the trophy and the trophy will have the House colours tied to it. It looks like Earth are winning at the moment. Last place looks like Water.

In Spelling Shed children practice their spellings by playing Hangman or in a timed game. The more times they get them correct, the higher their score and the more honey jars they collect. The top ten children get a certificate. There is also a certificate for the top class in Spelling Shed. Each week there are new people in the top ten, but sometimes some of the children are the same. The current top ten as we go to press are:

1. Scarlet W
2. Eveline B
3. Phoebe Marie R
4. Krishiv C
5. Abhilash B
6. Anna B
7. Sophia A
8. Noah K
9. Cara C
10. Nina C

In Accelerated Reader, the children who read the most and get 10/10 in most of their tests in their books are the top readers and get a certificate. In Accelerated Reader the people who have read one million or more words are the **Millionaires**. At the moment top readers are:

1. Abby B
2. Joshua K

In Times Table Rockstars you have to answer Maths questions as quickly as you can or you play one or more people, You can earn coins to spend in the shop. Those with the highest of coins are rewarded with a certificate. Current top ten are:

1. Alan Daffy
2. Flora Amos
3. Freya Whitney
4. Jeff Ivory
5. Marty Marks
6. Doctor Elefante
7. Axa Davis
8. Jon Rollins
9. Joseph Prophet
10. Arina Sherwood

**Keep going everyone. You could be named in the next edition!**

**By Eva**



## ***SCHOOL SPORT***



During last year (2019), our school took part in some sports competitions. These included Year 6 netball and Year 5/6 football. There are so many talented children at Jeavons Wood that represent the school and make us proud. This is just one of the many things that makes our school unique and special.

In the Winter, there were cross country practices for Year 3 and Year 4, Unfortunately, because of the muddy conditions at Wimpole, it had to be re-arranged for another day this year.

Year 6 have also had a netball match and some of the Year 6 girls from our school took part and went to play at Cambourne Village College against other Year 6's from different schools.

A Year 5/6 football match has also taken place and some Year 5's and 6's were working really hard and hoping to win. Fingers crossed for them. We know it doesn't matter about the winning, it's all about the taking part and doing your best but winning sometimes is a bonus.

Hopefully Jeavons Wood will continue to take part in lots of sporting competitions over the year and will attend lots of sporting festivals.

**By Scarlet**



## ***World News***

### ***Australian Blazes***



Australian wildfires have ravaged the land of Australia. Fires have raged in all eight states! At least 25 people have been killed as I write this article and 20,000 homes destroyed in some of the country's worst ever fires since records began. The amount of land destroyed reaches 49,000 kms. The fires have been mainly caused by lightning strikes, but have been fueled by the high temperatures and low rainfall. Fortunately Australia has experienced its first tropical cyclones of the season, which are helping to fight the fires. Kangaroo Island, a haven for rare wildlife has had one third of its land scorched. Evidence supports that climate change is a leading factor in the fires Australia have encountered.

**By Declan**

## **To be or not to be a prince?**



We have been shocked by the news that Prince Harry and Megan Markle announced they have decided to step down as senior Royals. They have decided that they want their lives to take a different direction. They could spend some time in Canada and some time in England, but this is uncertain as we go to press. It will be interesting to see how their lives and the life of their young son will develop and what path their lives take in the future.

Watch this space!

**By Maddi**



# Jesse the Jester!



What do you call a deaf man?

**Anything you like, he can't hear you!!!**



Knock, Knock  
Whos' there?  
Lettuce  
Lettuce who?

**Lettuce in, It's cold out here!**



What is a balloon's least favourite music?

**Pop Music!!**



Doctor, doctor I feel like a pony!  
**Well you are a little hoarse!**



Doctor, doctor I feel like a curtain  
**Could you move a little to the left the sun is in my eyes**



I was wondering why the frisbee was getting bigger and then it hit me!

**That's all from me 'til next time folks!**



# Teacher Interviews

## Miss North

- Do you enjoy Wow Days better than normal ones?
- Yes, they are really good at getting children excited about a new topic and they are very fun!
- What is your favourite animal?
- Turtles, because I love them.
- Did you behave well at school?
- I was in trouble occasionally.
- Are you over 30?
- No, I'm not!
- What is your favourite thing about teaching?
- My class, when we have silly moments.
- What is your favourite subject?
- Science because I like doing the experiments and finding out how things work.
- What do you do at the weekend?
- Go to the gym and see my friends.
- Are there any bits you don't like about teaching?
- When children don't behave.
- Do you like chocolate?
- Yes.
- Have you got any pets?
- 2 dogs, 2 guinea pigs and fish.
- If you could change your name what would it be?
- Charlotte.





## Mrs Van de Peer

- Do you enjoy Wow Days better than normal ones?
- Normal days, Wow days take a lot of planning.
- What is your favourite animal?
- Pandas, they're very cute.
- Did you behave well at school?
- Yes, I was very shy and went red all the time.
- Are you over 30?
- Yes.
- What is your favourite thing about teaching?
- Every day is different.
- What is your favourite subject?
- Historical art.
- What do you do at the weekend?
- Clean the house, spend time with my family and go to Aldi!
- Are there any bits you don't like about teaching?
- I like everything about it.
- Do you like chocolate?
- Love it all but prefer Galaxy.
- Have you got any pets?
- A cat called Milo.
- If you could change your name what would it be?
- I wouldn't want to, I love my name.



## Mr Emery

- Do you enjoy Wow Days better than normal ones?
- It's nice to have a mixture of age groups on Wow days, but they're a lot of hard work.
- What is your favourite animal?
- Elephants.
- Did you behave well at school?
- Yes, I was always a model student!
- Are you over 30?
- Just.
- What is your favourite thing about teaching?
- Unlocking potential.
- What is your favourite subject?
- Maths.
- What do you do at the weekend?
- Spend time with my daughter.
- Are there any bits you don't like about teaching?
- No, I love everything.
- Do you like chocolate?
- Yes, but only some types.
- Have you got any pets?
- Yes, a cat.
- If you could change your name what would it be?
- Michaelangelo.



## Mrs Chapman

- Do you enjoy Wow Days better than normal ones?
- Wow days because we often get to dress up.
- What is your favourite animal?
- I'm not really an animal lover but dogs are probably my favourites.
- Did you behave well at school?
- Yes, I would have been in big trouble if I hadn't!
- Are you over 30?
- What do you think?
- What is your favourite thing about teaching?
- Watching children grow and develop as they move through school.
- What is your favourite subject?
- I have two, Music and PE.
- What do you do at the weekend?
- Spend time visiting restaurants, theatre with my husband and friends.
- Are there any bits you don't like about teaching?
- Inspections!
- Do you like chocolate?
- Yes, but I can't eat too much!
- Have you got any pets?
- No.
- If you could change your name what would it be?
- Probably Betty, then it would be the same as my Mum's.



# **Goodbye and thank you for reading**

Well, that is the end of this first edition. We hope that you have enjoyed reading our newspaper and are looking forward to the next edition.

If you have any ideas for additional articles please let your class School Councillor know and we will do our best.